

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Luc Van Brabant

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For: ON-ACCESS AND ON-DEMAND
 DISTRIBUTED VIRUS SCANNING

Group Art Unit: 2139

Examiner: Wang, Harris C.

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REPLY TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Official Action dated May 14, 2008, appellant is exercising the option (2) of initiating a new appeal by filing a notice of appeal under 37 CFR 41.31 followed by an appeal brief under 37 CFR 41.37. Please find filed herewith a USPTO Notice of Appeal Form PTO/SB/31. Please apply the previously paid notice of appeal fee. Please charge any deficiency in any required fee to EMC Corporation Deposit Account No. 05-0889.

Respectfully submitted,

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